



## **St. Mark's C.E. Primary School**

Talbot Village, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH10 4JA

Headteacher: Andrew Bright

Friday 15 May 2026

### **SPORTS DAY 2026 – THURSDAY 18 JUNE**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Sports Day will take place on **Thursday 18 June**. The day will again be split into two sessions and parents are welcome to attend both. The timings of each session are listed below:

**Morning – 9:15am –11:00am**

**Afternoon – 1:10pm –2:45pm**

The morning session will consist of a rotation of fun sporting activities, where the children will be grouped according to their team colour, meaning siblings will be in a team together. This session will focus on the key sporting aspects of communication and teamwork and our value, Respect and our bible quote 'Encourage one another and build each other up' 1 Thessalonians 5:11. You are welcome to follow your children from station to station, providing encouragement and support. The first activity will start **promptly at 9:15** so spectators may want to arrive shortly before this time.

The afternoon session will consist of each child participating in **one** competitive race and a year group big wheel, with some children competing in a final whole school big wheel! You are welcome to attend the event to cheer on your child(ren) and their colour team. KS1 and KS2 will race on separate running tracks. Please be aware that parents will be instructed to stay in the designated viewing areas at all times. There will be a separate area for both KS1 and KS2, which will be signposted on your arrival. We kindly ask that you respect and remain in these areas – in particular not crossing over the middle of the field and disrupting the children's races and activities.

Please will spectators kindly ensure they don't block the gate or roadway to allow pupils to cross, and please park considerately.

Please send your child(ren) in with a hat, sun cream and plenty to drink.

If the weather takes a turn for the worst, the reserve date is **Thursday 25 June**.

We look forward to what will be an extremely fun and enjoyable day for the children. We hope you are able to come along and show your support!

Kind regards,

Miss Pitkin and Mr Vacher